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Market Opportunities in Food Security Conference Agenda

8:15 AM

Opening Remarks

BALLROOM

Dr. Martin Cole, Director, National Center for Food Safety & Technology

Welcome to all conference attendees and summary of the day's focus and events.

8:30 AM

Featured Speaker

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Bradley Tusk, Deputy Governor, State of Illinois

Why the food industry plays an essential role in the development of Illinois' homeland security market; our efforts to attract homeland security businesses to Illinois; why Illinois is well positioned to lead the nation in this crucial industry.

9 AM

Feature Presentation

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Dr. Don Kautter, Consumer Safety Officer, Food & Drug Administration

Risk management scenario of how current federal regulations and government response agencies would deal with an attack on the food supply.

10-10:30 AM

Networking Break

10:30 AM

Panel Discussion I

BALLROOM

Success Stories: Breaking Into the Homeland Security Market

Major firms' successes, experiences and lessons in breaking into the market with insights into its' nature and potential for growth.

◆ Lex Bitner, GIS Solutions

◆ Mark Verduin, Imaginetics

◆ Dennis Andersh, SAIC

OR

10:30 AM

Panel Discussion II

BREAKOUT ROOM

Case Study: The Tampering Incident

How companies must change operational limits in the event of an attack on the food supply with the latest research on best practices in food security.

◆ Dr. John Larkin, FDA/NCFST

◆ Matt Botos, NCFST

11:45 AM

Featured Speaker

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(LUNCH SERVED)

Col. Randall Larsen, Director, The Institute for Homeland Security

Col. Larsen is a nationally recognized expert on homeland security and a national leader in the development and execution of war games and exercises designed to improve domestic defense. Col. Larsen will offer his views, experiences and insights in the areas of food and agricultural security.

12:45-1 PM

Networking Break

1 PM

Panel Discussion III

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The Current State of Technology in Food Security

Latest areas of study that government and the private sector are driving R&D towards and new applications that are on the horizon.

◆ Geoff Dahl, UIUC Food Security Initiative

◆ Jim Frank, ANL

OR

1 PM

Panel Discussion IV

BREAKOUT ROOM

Responding to Food Security Needs

New government programs, regulations and funding to answer the urgent call for food security with a focus on how to engage with the industry.

◆ Weyssan Dun, SAIC/FBI Springfield

◆ Colleen O'Keefe, IDOA

◆ Perfecto Santiago, Food Safety Inspection Service

2 PM

Panel Discussion V

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Exploring Solutions to Food Security Problems

Strategies being used to meet the challenges faced by major firms in the industry.

◆ Greg Halvacs, KRAFT

◆ Bob Hayworth, CAT

◆ Allen Steinbeck, John Deere

◆ Richard Ryan, ADM

◆ Harvey Drucker, ANL

3:15 PM

Adjourn